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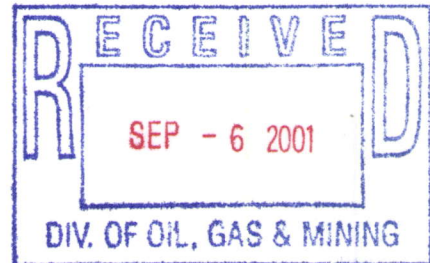
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SUBJECT: Large Mining Operations - Gold Terra Inc., Blue Castle Mine, M/015/077  
Project No. 01-1103

Dear Mr. Jensen:

The Resource Development Coordinating Committee (RDCC), representing the State of Utah, has reviewed this proposal. The Division of Air Quality Comments:

The proposed mining project is subject to Utah Air Conservation Rule R307-205-5, Mining Activities, since fugitive dust emissions will be generated during mining activities. A permit, known as an Approval Order, is not required solely for the control of fugitive dust, but steps need to be taken to minimize fugitive dust, such as, watering and/or chemical stabilization, providing vegetative or synthetic cover and windbreaks. A permit application, known as a Notice of Intent, should be submitted to the Executive Secretary at the Utah Division of Air Quality at 150 N. 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, if any on-site crushing of stone occurs according to Utah Air Conservation Rule R307-400, Permits, Notice of Intent and Approval Order.

If you have any questions regarding the above comments, please feel free to contact Frances Bernards at the Utah Division of Air Quality at (801) 536-4056.

The Committee appreciates the opportunity to review this proposal. Please direct any other written questions regarding this correspondence to the Resource Development Coordinating Committee at the above address or call Carolyn Wright at (801) 538-5535 or John Harja at (801) 538-5559.

Sincerely,

  
John Harja  
Executive Director

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